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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Laurisch et al.	Examiner:	Smith
Serial No.:	10/553,521	Group Art Unit:	2874
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Title:	Optical Fiber Coupler Module		

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER § 1.312**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice of Allowance mailed on March 25, 2009, and prior to payment of the issue fee, please amend the above-identified patent application pursuant to 37 CFR, 1.312 as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of the Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.